

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification by removing the following sections which describe unelected inventions:

Please amend the specification as follows, by replacing the following paragraphs:

Please delete the paragraph on Page 2, Lines 2-5:

~~The number of products in the consumables category continues to rise, and the need for continuous improvement provides a competitive edge for manufacturers. Following are six typically molded consumables and a number of enhancements described for each.~~

Please remove paragraphs spanning page 3, line 19 through to page 9, line 8.

~~Traditionally buns and other...~~

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~~Therefore, a method and consumable tablet, gum, liquid, or equivalent, are needed that will reduce the offensive nature of the odor to allow for comfortably closeness to be achieved between spouses or significant others.~~

Please remove the inventive aspects from page 14, lines 2 through page 27, line 14.

~~The present invention includes a split-resistant hinged bun wherein...~~

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~~Another object of the present invention is to provide a breath preparation that may be easily manufactured at low cost and using substantially conventional processes.~~

~~Further objects and advantages of the invention will be brought out in the following portions of the specification, wherein the detailed description is for the purpose of fully disclosing preferred embodiments of the invention without placing limitations thereon.~~

Please split the paragraph starting at Page 27, Line 16 (which was run together):

The invention will be more fully understood by reference to the following drawings which are for illustrative purposes only: FIG. 1 is a cross-section of a manufactured firelog having a wrapper with an integrated combustion shield according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Please remove paragraphs on page 28, line 11 through page 32, line 8 which correspond to FIGs. 10 - 47 which are unelected inventions.

~~FIG. 10 is a side view of an elongated split resistant roll...~~

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~~FIG. 47 is a flowchart of method steps for manufacturing breath equalizers according to an embodiment of the present invention.~~

Please amend the paragraph starting at page 32, line 11, as follows:

Referring more specifically to the drawings, for illustrative purposes the present

invention is embodied in the apparatus generally shown in FIG. 1 through FIG. 9 ~~FIG. 22, and FIG. 24 through FIG. 47~~. It will be appreciated that the apparatus may vary as to configuration and as to details of the parts without departing from the basic concepts as disclosed herein.

Please remove the portion of the specification from page 38, line 10 through page 67, line 9, which was drawn to non-elected species.

~~FIG. 10 depicts an elongated roll 110, such as a hot dog bun, configured ...~~

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~~Accordingly, the present invention provides a form of equalizing breath preparation that is primarily directed for consumption by the party that is offended, as opposed to the party causing the olfactory offense. The invention reduces the sensitivity of the offended party to the offending odiferant. The invention may be incorporated within conventional breath preparations, or distributed in combination thereof. It will be appreciated that the present invention describes examples of specific odiferants, and forms of packaging which can be varied by one of ordinary skill in the art without departing from the teachings of the present inventions.~~

Please replace the Abstract of the Invention (Page 82) as follows:

~~Enhanced consumables providing an enhanced consumption rate adjustable firelog wherein the consumer can select the burning rate, baked buns which are resistant to hinge splitting when a consumer inserts food items therein, wine bottle corks which may be easily removed by the consumer without specific hardware such as~~

~~corkscrews, electronic soap for entertaining bathing children, bathroom mirror defog sheets which facilitate consumer use of mirrors subject to steam fogging, and a breath "equalizer" preparation which reduces the sensitivity of the consumer to specific forms of breath born halitosis, such as garlic and onions.~~

Combustion rate adjustable firelogs and methods of manufacturing are described. One aspect of the present invention are firelogs manufactured with an integral combustion shield for covering a portion of the surface area of the firelog that may be selectively utilized to set the duration and burning rate as the manufactured firelog is consumed during the fire. By way of example and not of limitation, the integral combustion shield is made of a thin flame resistant or non-flammable material, such as aluminum, which covers a portion of the firelog to control the combustion rate. Another aspect of the invention is the adaptation of wrapped firelogs so that they may be easily divided while retaining wrapper portions thereupon. Another aspect of the invention is the adaptation of the shapes of the firelogs so that they may be utilized either separately or in combination with one another.

Please amend the note on Page 83 as follows:

There is attached ~~seventeen (17)~~ four (4) sheets of drawings.